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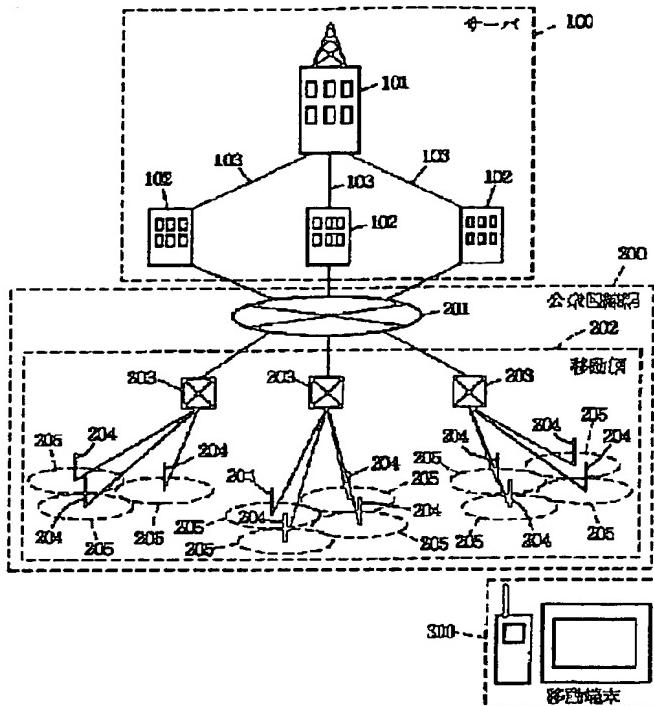
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TITLE : COMMUNICATION TYPE ROUTE
 GUIDING SYSTEM AND
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ABSTRACT : PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a communication type route guiding system capable of suppressing the cost required for communication low when an information service center and each mobile terminal are communicated for route guidance.

SOLUTION: Multiple access points 102 are installed at different positions to allow each mobile terminal 300 to gain access to an information service center 101, and each mobile terminal 300 communicates with the information service center 101 through one of multiple access points 102. Each mobile terminal 300 stores installation positions of multiple access points 102. Each mobile terminal 300 has a function for calculating its present position and based on the stored position and the calculated position the terminal 300 can access to the information service center 101 through the nearest one of multiple access point 102, i.e., the access point 102 requiring the lowest telephone call fee.

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